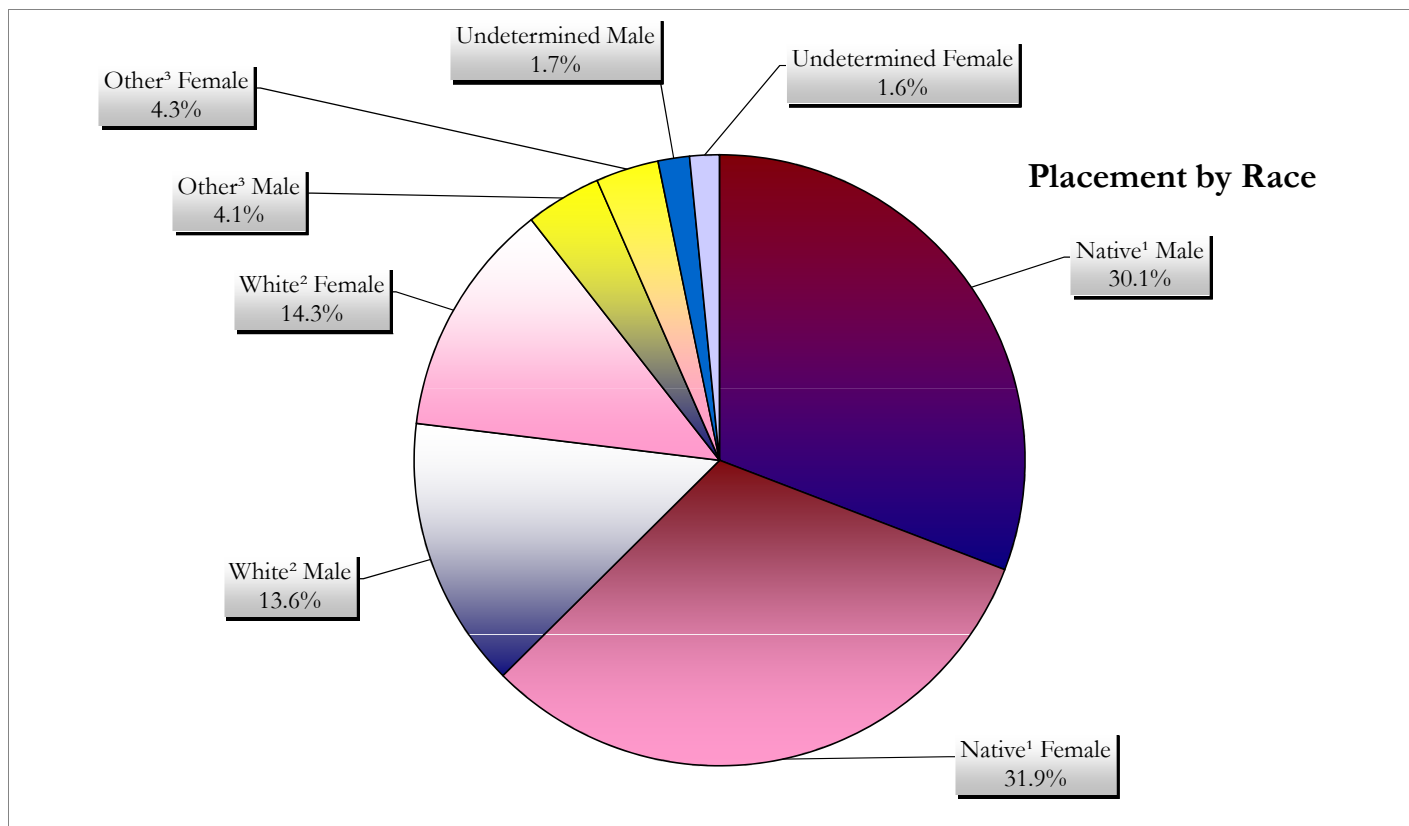


All Children in Alaska OCS Out-of-home placement for the month of April, 2011, by Race

Out-of-home placement is the last option considered when reasonable efforts to protect a child in his or her own home have been exhausted by OCS. The first preference considered in all out-of-home placements for a child or youth is a relative's home. When it is not possible to place a child with a relative it is necessary to place the child in a licensed foster home. Residential care facilities may offer short-term emergency shelter as well as more long-term residential treatment.



		All Children in Alaska OCS Out-of-home placement for the month of April, 2011.											TOTAL	
Race	Native ¹			White ²			Other ³			Undetermined				
Region	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total		
Anchorage	207	191	398	87	65	152	52	42	94	8	10	18		662
Northern	114	128	242	32	34	66	10	10	20	4	4	8		336
South Central	97	117	214	139	123	262	7	9	16	17	15	32		524
Southeast	73	62	135	18	18	36	8	3	11	1	0	1		183
Western	101	111	212	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	3		215
Total	592	609	1,201	276	240	516	77	64	141	32	30	62	1,920	

¹ Native is any mention of Alaska Native or American Indian.

² White is White only, excluding all other races.

³ Other includes any mention of Asian, Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander, or Black/African American.

Data Source: ORCA. Program used to tabulate statistics: monthly_ooh_web.sas.

Data in this report is current as of May 9, 2011. Subsequent reports with the same date parameter will contain up-dated statistics.

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